

Proposed Bill No. 762

January Session, 2007

LCO No. 2179

Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Children

Introduced by: SEN. FREEDMAN, 26th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 164 of the general statutes be amended to establish a
- 2 Department of Early Childhood that shall receive all moneys and
- 3 administer all programs relating to early childhood, which are
- 4 currently administered by the Department of Social Services and the
- 5 Department of Education.

Statement of Purpose:

To eliminate confusion between departments by establishing a Department of Early Childhood that shall be responsible for receiving money and administering programs relating to early childhood.